Sl.No.	Name of State/U.Ts.	Total amount of indemnity claims paid (Rs. in lakh)
1	2	3
6. Karnataka		94.78
7. Kerala	8.04	0.11
8. Madhya Pradesh	307.52	91.17
9. Maharastra	2190.64	82.71
10. Meghalaya	2.29	2.70
11. Orissa	45.99	22.26
12. Tamil Nadu	18.85	73.80
13. Uttar pradesh		62.81
14. West Bengal	298.44	42.38
15. Pondicherry		0.55
Total :	3305.67	3741.52

Agriculture

Paddy cultivation in Coastal area

5780. SHRI SUDHIR SAWANT: Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) the measures taken by the Government for making paddy cultivation cost effective in the coastal areas;

(b) whether the Government have worked out any formula by which one can calculate profit/loss for agriculture; and

(c) if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI MULLAPPALLY RAMACHANDRAN): (a) The Government have undertaken various schemes for increasing the productivity of paddy crop in various states including coastal areas through transfer of modern technology one of the functions of which is to make paddy cultivation cost-effective.

(b) and (c). The Government is undertaking studies on cost of production of principal crops under a comprehensive scheme. The scheme envisages collection of representative data on inputs and outputs in physical and monetary terms and estimation of cost of cultivation per hectare and cost of production per quintal of principal crops on a continuing basis. The details of estimates of inputs and outputs are sufficient to calculate profit/loss from crop production.